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Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time to respond within the second month after the expiration of the time period for response set in the Office Action dated July 14, 2000, to and including December 14, 2000. The requisite fee of \$195.00 under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) is submitted herewith...

Authorization is hereby given to charge any additional fee deemed to be Attorneys for Applicant 300 South Wacker Drive, Suite 3000 Chicago, Illinois 60606 Phone: (312)-663-9800 required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 05-1060.

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